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VIRGINIA GAZETTE.

Containing the freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtick.

From Friday, December 28, to Friday, January 4, 1739.

The SPEECH of the Hon. GEORGE THOMAS, *Eſq; Lieutenant-Governor and Commander in Chief of the Counties of* New-Caſtle, Kent, *and* Suſſex, *on* Delaware, *and Province of* Pennſylvania.

To the Repreſentatives of the ſaid Counties, in General Aſſembly met, October 23, 1739.

Mr. *Speaker, and Gentlemen of the Aſſembly,*

HIS Majeſty's Warrant under his Roial Sign Manual, for granting Commiſſions of Marque and Repriſal upon the Ships and Effects of the King of *Spain* and his Subjects, in Vindication of the Honour of his Crown, and for procuring Reparation and Satisfaction for his injured Subjects, having been long ſince, by His Majeſty's Order to me, made publick; and our Accounts from *Europe* being ſuch as give us too much Reaſon to apprehend, that a Neighbouring Power, in Conſequence of its late Alliances, will join with *Spain*, and that the Flame of War is like to be ruinous and extenſive, I cannot doubt but you are met with Minds prepared to do what ſhall be neceſſary, as well for Guarding this Government againſt the Reſentment of *Spain*, as againſt the Danger that will ariſe from ſo powerful a Conjunction: But I muſt, in a particular Manner, recommend to your Conſideration, the Defenceleſs Condition of this Town, and the Town of *Lewes*, which from thence and their Situation, may be ſurpriſed, plunder'd, and burnt, by a Force too ſhameful to be mentioned.

The Reviſing and Printing your Laws has been a Work ſo long talk'd of, and is ſo neceſſary for the Well-being of the Government, and the Security of every Individual you repreſent, that it will give me a particular Satisfaction to ſee you fall upon proper Methods for the Accompliſhing of it. And as I can ſincerely aſſure you, that you never had a Governor more diſpos'd to do every Thing in his Power for the Publick Good; ſo I hope to find in you the ſame Diſpoſitions, and a Reſolution to avoid Contention, and every Thing that may obſtruct it.

To the Hon. GEORGE THOMAS, *Eſq; Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of the Counties of* New-Caſtle, Kent, *and* Suſſex, *on* Delaware, *and Province of* Pennſylvania.

The ADDRESS *of the Repreſentatives of the ſaid Counties, in General Aſſembly met, at* New-Caſtle.

May it pleaſe your Honour,

HIS Majeſty's Warrant, under his Roial Sign Manual, for granting Commiſſions of Marque and Repriſal upon the Ships and Effects of the King of *Spain*, and his Subjects, in Vindication of the Honour of his Crown, and for procuring Reparation to his injured Subjects, hath, no doubt, been iſſued by His Majeſty, upon the moſt juſt and wiſe Motives, in order to ſupport the Honour of the *Engliſh* Nation, and put an End to thoſe deteſtable Depredations and Cruelties which have been ſo long committed by the *Spaniards*.

We agree with your Honour, that there is great Reaſon to apprehend, that a Neighbouring Power, in Conſequence of its late Alliances, will join with *Spain*, which may produce a deſtructive and extenſive War. Self-preſervation is one of the firſt Principles Men entertain. As the Laws of Nature, of Nations, as well as the Laws of God, plainly dictate to us a Self-Defence, and as we are under the ſtrongeſt Engagements and Ties to defend and protect all that is valuable and dear to us; ſo we ſhall, with the greateſt Chearfulneſs, put this Government in ſuch a State of Defence, as the Neceſſity of the Time may require, and the Circumſtances will admit of; and we ſhall, at this Time, more particularly take into our Conſideration the Defenceleſs Condition of the Towns of *New Caſtle* and *Lewes*.

We are fully of Opinion with your Honour, that the Reviſing and Printing our Laws, is abſolutely neceſſary to the Well being of the Government, and the Security of every Perſon we repreſent; and we ſhall, on our Part, chearfully enter upon ſuch Meaſures for accompliſhing a Work ſo long deſired by the People of this Government, as we ſhall judge moſt effectual for that Purpoſe.

We heartily thank your Honour for the kind Aſſurance you have been pleaſed to give us, that we never had a Governor more diſpoſed to do every Thing in his Power for the publick Good: And we aſſure your Honour, you will find in us the like Diſpoſitions, and a Reſolution to avoid Contention, and all other Means that may obſtruct that good Agreement which ſhould, at all Times, ſubſiſt between the Governor and People, on which the Publick Welfare ſo much depends.

New-Caſtle, Octob. 24, 1739. *Sign'd by Order of the Houſe,* D. FRENCH, *Speaker.*

Copy of a Minute of the Houſe of Aſſembly for the Government of the Counties of *New-Caſtle, Kent*, and *Suſſex*, on *Delaware*, at their Seſſion in *October*, 1739.

A Motion being made, That the Houſe take into their Conſideration the Defenceleſs State and Condition of the Town of *New-Caſtle*, and provide for the Security and Defence of the ſame: It was thereupon

Ordered,

That *David French*, *Andrew Peterſon*, *Jeku Curtis*, *Thomas Noxon*, *Richard Graſton*, and *John Finney*, conſider of the moſt proper Means for that Purpoſe, and make an Eſtimate of the Charge that may be requiſite to that End, and make Report to the Houſe of Aſſembly of this Government, at their next Meeting.

At the ſame Seſſions was paſſed,

An Act, *providing for the better Security and Defence of the Town of* Lewes, *in the County of* Suſſex, *within this Government.*

ROME, Auguſt 25.

THE King of Sardinia's Miniſter had a long Conference a few Days ago with Cardinal Corradini concerning the Differences which ſtill ſubſiſt between his Holineſs and the Court of Turin, and ſeem more embroil'd than ever. A private Congregation of the Holy Office was held the 13th Inſtant; and as it laſted ſeveral Hours, it is thought that ſome important Affair was on the Tapis. The bad News we have received from Hungary,

gary, has determined the Pope to publiſh Nine Days of Indulgence, by way of Jubilee, to all thoſe who ſhall pray for the Proſperity of the Emperor's Arms, in the Manner ſet forth for that Purpoſe. The Venetians have juſt block'd up the Eccleſiaſtick State cloſer than before, becauſe a few Barks from Dalmatia landed their Cargos on our Coaſt. The Duke of Modena has likewiſe forbid all manner of Commerce with this State. Cardinal de Cienfuegos lies dangerouſly ill; his Eminency is 84 Years of Age.

Father d'Evora, charged with the Affairs of Portugal, being deſirous to perpetuate the Memory of the Accommodation of the Differences between his Court and the Holy See, has ordered a Picture to be drawn by one of the moſt celebrated Painters here, repreſenting the Pope ſitting on his Throne; and at ſome Diſtance from him, the Cardinals Corſini and Gentili, and Father d'Evora, ſigning the Accommodation in Queſtion: This Picture is to be placed in the new Library. Nevertheleſs, it's thought the Portugueze Miniſter muſt ſuſpend for a while the Gratification of his Vanity; for, as ill Luck would have it, beſides the antient Pretenſions form'd by the King of Portugal, in Relation to the Months of Preſentation in Nomination; his Portugueze Majeſty requires likewiſe the Pope to create in his Patriarchal Church of Lisbon, ſix Aſſiſtant Biſhops who ſhall ſerve the Patriarch in the ſame Manner as the Aſſiſtant Biſhops ſerve his Holineſs here in the Chapels. Theſe Demands alarm the Court; and 'tis thought that Father d'Evora will hardly be able, with all his Addreſs, to adjuſt this Affair. A fine Piece of Painting would not, perhaps, have been amiſs, to perpetuate the Memory of the famous C - n, and the worthy M------rs who ſign'd it; but the Misfortune is, that it is now too late to go about it, becauſe the bleſſed Effects of that Myſtery of I----y are but too ſenſibly felt.

Presbourg, Aug. 17. This City is now happily rid of the Plague, and a Line has been drawn round about it, where Guards are poſted, in order to hinder any Perſons from coming in who are not provided with good Certificates from the Imperial Commiſſaries. As the Contagion has broke out at Tyrnau, a Town ſix Leagues from hence, all the Avenues to it have been ſhut up. We talk variouſly of the State of Affairs in this Kingdom; moſt People have a Notion that the Imperial Court will reſolve to put an End to the Turkiſh War; and for that Purpoſe deliver up Belgrade and Temeſwaer to the Grand Seignior: But theſe are only Conjectures which appears to have but little Foundation, conſidering that the Ruſſian Army is ſo near the Frontiers of Tranſilvania.

Copenhagen, Aug. 20. The French Squadron, without any Reinforcement (the Expectation whereof ſeems to be entirely groundleſs) is juſt now under Sail bound for Stockholm, where the Marquiſs d'Antin, according to his Diſcourſe, intends to ſtay about a Fortnight, and then to make a Tour up the Baltick; after which he propoſes, towards the End of Auguſt, or in the Month of September at fartheſt, to return hither again, and to pay his Court to their Daniſh Majeſties.

Lisbon, Auguſt 2. Their Majeſty's and all the Royal Family are in perfect Health; the King holds frequent Councils on the Affairs of the preſent Conjuncture, and in all Appearances, his Majeſty will reſolve upon a Neutrality, in caſe of a War with Spain and Great Britain. Several Couriers arrived here of late from Paris, and are immediately ſent back with Anſwers to their Diſpatches; but what is ſaid of the Negociations on the Tapis, are but mere Conjectures: ſome People give out, that a Treaty of Commerce is almoſt concluded between the two Courts: However it be, we have laid aſide the Preparations that were making for the Reception of the Marquis de Arpenſon, who was expected with the Character of the Embaſſador from the King of France. The Britiſh Squadron commanded by Admiral Haddock, cruizes off Cape St. Vincent, and viſits all the Ships paſſing that Way. Two of our Men of War are ſailed from Tagues, to convoy home the Ships from the Bay of All Saints, which are out at Sea. The Dolphin, a Dutch Man of War, commanded by Capt. Akkerſloot, has likewiſe ſet ſail from hence, in order to cruize upon the Corſairs of Sallee.

Amſterdam, July 17. *O. S.* The Adventurers in our Whale Fiſhery have received very agreeable News from Greenland, where has not been ſo plentiful a Fiſhery for many Years paſt as this. The Dutch have already taken 505 Whales, beſides what they hope for more.

LONDON, July 30.

By the Ships arrived this Year from Bombay, we have the following authentick Copy of Thamas Kouli Kan, now Schach Nadir, his Manifeſto or Declaration againſt the Great Mogul. Tranſlated from the Perſian.

'My Will tends to remain in Peace, but the Divine 'Will allots War in theſe Parts, by which I ſee my ſelf 'engaged in great Confuſion and Alarms.

'In the wide Sea of this periſhable World, I ſeem, as 'it were, mounted on the Back of an Allegator, from 'which I am not without Fear of being overſet, and go-'ing down to the Bottom.'

This is called by the Indians a deſtroying Humility.

Since the Report of the above Manifeſto, we have received by the Ships from Madrats, the following Account of his Progreſs againſt the Mogul.

'Schach Nadir having ſubdued two great Cities, one 'called Cabull and the other Jullabad, and ſince paſs'd 'the River Catar, has entered the City Piſhaws, and there 'pitch'd his Camp, where he alſo had an Encounter with 'a very powerful Army from the Mogul, which he de-'feated; whereupon he, with his great Men at Delly, are 'much alarm'd. He has ſince order'd Naſa Moll Molla, 'his Vizir, to ſummon in the Nobility, with 300,000 'Horſe, to meet Schach Nadir; and Advices received 'ſince ſay, that before this Mooriſh Army can meet 'Schach Nadir, he may have taken another City called 'Lahore, other Letters ſay he is already at Delly.'

London, Auguſt 2. Yeſterd y' the following ſtrange Story was told by ſeveral People in this City, viz. That laſt Week ſeveral French Gentlemen came in a Barge from France to Guernzey, and continued there four Days, after that they departed for St. Maloes; and that about two Hours after their Departure, an Expreſs came to the Iſland, with Orders to the Governor to ſtop them, but it was too late. It is ſaid the Pretender's Son was one of the Company; to confirm which it is given out, that as ſoon as the Barge had landed the Company at St. Maloes, they were ſaluted with ſeveral Guns.

They write from Madrid, that the Court has iſſued Orders for ſending out a ſufficient Number of Men of War from Cadiz, to convoy the Aſſogue Ships coming home.

London, Auguſt 14. Letters from Amſterdam of the 10th Inſtant, ſay, That a Maſter of a Ship juſt arrived from Cadiz, reports, that he met with 4 of the Aſſogue Ships ſteering towards the Coaſt of Biſcay. If this be true, we have been cruizing to very little Purpoſe about Cadiz.

Extract of a Letter from Capt. Samuel Bromage, *belonging to* Philadelphia, *on board the* Vigor, *dated off* Dover, *the* 18*th of* Auguſt, 1739, *in his Way to* Amſterdam, *with a Lading from* Seville *in* Spain.

'On the 6th of July in the Morning I fell in with 10 'Sail of Admiral Haddock's Squadron, cruizing off Cape 'St. Mary's for the Spaniſh Aſſogue Ships. ---- I was 'on board the Admiral about an Hour and Half, by 'whom I learnt he was determined to attack the Aſſogue 'Ships and their Men of War, and deſign'd to cruize off 'the ſaid Cape for ſome Time. The Officers on Quar-'ter Deck alſo aſſur'd me that every Ships Guns in the 'Squadron were loaded and all made clear Ships ready 'to attack an Enemy. ---- It was happy for me that I 'fell in with our Squadron, otherwiſe I had been ta-'ken by a Sallee Rover, who have broke the Truce 'with England, and have Orders from their Bathaw to 'take all the Britiſh Ships they can meet with. I had 'this Advice from our Conſul at S. Lucar's in Spain;

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'and confirm'd to me by four of our Britiſh Captains on 'board the Fleet. ---- I was at Cadiz the 15th of June, 'where they were fitting out about 18 Sail of Men of 'War, which are ordered for the Groyne in the Bay 'of Biſcay.'

London, Auguſt 15. Yeſterday the Purſer of the Wager, Capt. Raymond, from Coaſt and Bay, brought the welcome News to the Eaſt India Houſe of the ſafe Arrival of the ſaid Ship off Dover. She left the Scarborough, the Princeſs Mary, the Duke of Cumberland, and the Naſſau, (who came in Company with her from St. Helena) in Latitude 42, the 3d Inſtant.

By the ſaid Ship we have an Account, that the Marlborough was not arrived at St. Helena when they came away; ſo that it is much queſtion'd whether ſhe will come home this Year.

London, Auguſt 20. The 9th Inſtant in the Evening, the Miniſters of State met at Chelſea, after which a Courier was diſpatch'd to Horace Walpole, Eſq; Embaſſador extraordinary, and Plenipotentiary at the Hague. We have not been able to gueſs at the Contents of the Diſpatches ſent, but we are aſſured that the Emperor, the King of France, and their High Mightineſſes, the States General of the United Provinces, have offered their Mediation for putting an End to the Differences between the Court of Great Britain and that of Madrid; and we hear, it is as good as accepted by both Parties, and that a ſort of Congreſs is to be held here in London on this Occaſion, in which the Plenipotentiaries are to be the Barons Waſſenaer and Hop, and the Count de Cambis. It is ſaid, that what retards the opening of the Congreſs is, the Court of Spain's demanding that the Orders for making Reprizals may be ſuſpended: Whereas we inſiſt, that all Things ſhall not only remain as they are until the Concluſion of a Definitive Treaty, but that the King of Spain ſhall alſo pay 95,000 l. as ſtipulated by the Convention, before the Conferences are opened.

London, Auguſt 22. They write from Madrid, that Mr. Keene, the Britiſh Miniſter there, having declared at that Court, That tho' the King his Maſter had been obliged, in Juſtice to his Subjects, to permit them to make Reprizals upon the Spaniards, yet his Britannick Majeſty did not thereby intend to be underſtood to break the Peace, but only to make uſe of the Right which Treaties gave him; and as a Proof of his Majeſty's good Intentions, he had charged him to aſſure the Miniſtry, that as ſoon as the Catholick King ſhall pay what is demanded of him, Reprizals ſhould ceaſe and give Place to an Accommodation. To which the Marquiſs de Villarias anſwer'd, That the King of Spain was very far from conſidering Things in the ſame Light as the Court of Great Britain ſeemed to do, not believing it had any Right by Treaties, either to make Reprizals itſelf, or authorize others to make them; that the Enquiry of the Conduct of the Crown of Spain was evident in every thing which had paſſed ſince the Convention of the 14th of January; the Catholick King therefore could not help looking upon the making Reprizals as an Act of Hoſtility, and would on his Side, permit his Subjects to repulſe the Inſult which might be made on them; that he hoped, with the Aſſiſtance of Heaven and his Allies, he ſhould be able to ſupport a good Cauſe; and that he intended to publiſh a Manifeſto, that all Europe might be inform'd of the true State of the Caſe between Great Britain and Spain, not being in the leaſt afraid of making known his Conduct before as well as ſince the Convention. That Miniſter at the ſame Time added, that as ſoon as any Hoſtility ſhould be committed, Mr. Keene ſhould have Notice to withdraw; but till then he might continue at Court in Safety.

London, Auguſt 30. By a private Letter from India, by the Naſſau, Capt. Hutchinſon, we have Advice, that the Great Mogul is totally defeated by Kouli Kan, and entirely diſpoſſeſs'd of all his Dominions, and has fled to the Engliſh Factory at *Bengal* for Refuge.

London, Sept. 10. Thurſday laſt by an Expreſs came Advice, that the Turks had made a general Aſſault on Belgrade, and were repulſed by the Garriſon; at the ſame Time Count Wallis attack'd them with 20,000 Men, which cauſed a bloody Action for Five Hours, whereby the Turks were totally routed, with the Loſs of 16 000 Men, and great part of the Camp, with 100 Pieces of Cannon.

Kilkenny, Aug. 15. This Day ended the Aſſizes here, where four Felons were convicted, and particularly the infamous James Moran; who was proclaim'd, and who, to the Surprize of all the County, had the Aſſurance to deliver himſelf up, with this wonderful Circumſtance, That the Juſtice who committed him, had that Confidence in Mr. Moran, that he gave him his Mittimus in his Hand, which the ſaid Moran brought with him, knock'd at the Door, and delivered it with his Body to the Jailor. This ſame Fellow has been the moſt remarkable Perſon of his Profeſſion that ever was in Ireland, or perhaps in any other Country. He ſerved 6 Years to his Brother-in-Law, Toby Purcel, alias Philip, who was the moſt notorious Thief of his Time, 'til ſupplanted by James, who about 30 Years ſince ſet up for himſelf, and made ſuch a Figure in this County as no one made before him, he being rather an Employer of Thieves than a Thief. He always took care to buy the Cattle before Witneſſes for that Purpoſe, in open Fair. He ſtood his Trial in this County 17 Times; eleven of which one particular Man was upon his Jury. He was tried upon ſeveral Indictments, but one Time in particular, there was no leſs than 16 againſt him. He acted like Jonathan Wild, whoever loſt any Thing, if they applied properly to him, were ſure to have Reſtitution: He bred his only Son to his own Buſineſs, who, it is ſaid, was the Perſon that ſtole the Cattle, for which his Father was now condemned; and was ſo good a Proficient, that at the Age of 14, he was tried for ſtealing a Mare, Saddle and Bridle out of an Inn in this Town. The Father has lived theſe 30 Years near Gowran, was hired to a Gentleman, and is now reputed to be worth 500 l. but does not ſpeak Engliſh. 'Tis ſaid, that when he was going with his Mittimus to Goal, he called upon one of his Brothers in Iniquity, and ſettled Accounts with him, and at their Parting, his Friend, after giving him a Bottle of Wine to comfort him, expreſſed himſelf in the moſt tender Manner, and ſaid, 'Well, dear James, let the World 'ſay what they will, my Father and I have found thee 'an honeſt Man,' and then embraced him kindly. However the whole Country are moſt joyful at his Conviction, and every Body, both Rich and Poor were in a terrible Alarm this Morning, on a Report, that a Gentleman who attended the Trial, was ſo ſoftned, and ſo fill'd with an ill-tim'd Pity, as to make Intereſt for a Pardon: But the Grand-Jury went immediately and drew up a Remonſtrance, to preſent a favourable Report. The Country was the more alarmed, as there were 2 others convicted, who, as they had not been concerned in above 25 Felonies, to the Knowledge of the Country, muſt undoubtedly expect as much Favour as Moran.

Boſton, Oct 22. By a Veſſel from Cape Fear, we are inform'd, That the Governor of St. Auguſtine has publiſh'd a Proclamation, to encourage the Negroes and Servants of the Inhabitants of Georgia, to leave their Maſters and come to St. Auguſtine, with the Promiſe of giving them their Liberty; and that a great Number of Slaves and Servants had gone over to them; and that many of the Inhabitants were gone to South Carolina, to avoid the Danger which they apprehended from the Spaniards.

We hear from Mendon, That the 10th Inſtant a Barn belonging to Mr. Pickering, of that Place, took Fire by Lightning which entirely conſumed the ſame, together with all his Hay, his Engliſh and part of his Indian Corn: 'Tis remarkable that the ſame Man had two Cattle kill'd by Lightning in February laſt.

We hear from Newent in Connecticut, that an Indian Man Servant, having had Leave of his Maſter to go upon a Frolick, outſtaid his Time, and coming near his Maſter's Houſe, for fear of Correction, durſt not venture Home; but went down to the River Side and finding an Eel Pot, took the Rope off it, and went to a ſmall Tree, and ty'd it to a ſmall Limb, with one End thereof about his Neck; and upon his ſwinging off, as 'tis ſuppos'd, the Limb broke, and he fell to the Ground: After this, he took hold of a ſmall Straddle, and having bent it down,

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ty'd his Rope to the Top and let it ſpring up, which did his Buſineſs, being ſoon after found dead, almoſt flat to the Ground.

WILLIAMSBURG, Jan. 4.

Mr. *Parks*,

The following Lines were written laſt Year by a Gentleman who was then in *England*. Pleaſe to inſert them in your next Paper.

To the KING.

IF the *good natur'd, hoſpitable* Man,
Who *ſtudies* to do all the *Good* he can;
If he that moſt *ſincerely* loves his Friend,
Beyond the *View* of any *private* End;
If he that could *heroically* ſhow
A *Chriſtian* Spirit, if he had a Foe;
If he that's *merciful*, as well as *juſt*,
And obſtinately faithful to his Truſt;
If ſuch a one, O GEORGE! be worth thy Care,
VIRGINIA muſt be ſo! -- For GOOCH is *There*.

This Day about Twelve o'Clock, *Jonathan Faithful* was brought out of Goal, attended by the Rev. Mr. *Hartſwell* to the Place of Execution, whom he heartily thank'd for his Care of him during his Confinement. He alſo expreſs'd his Gratitude to the Governor for giving him ſo long a Time; confeſs'd the Fact for which he was to ſuffer, declar'd he was in Charity with all Mankind, and deſir'd others to take Warning by his unhappy Example.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

January 4, 1739.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living at the Capitol Landing, *near* Williamsburg, *a Servant Man, named* William Philips; *is a* Welſhman, *but ſpeaks very good* Engliſh: *He is a thin ſpare Man, of a ſwarthy Complexion, and almoſt bald; is about* 5 *Feet and Half high. Had on, when he went away, a brown Pea Jacket, a white Flannel Waſtecoat ty'd with Strings, a check'd Shirt, a Pair of Leather Breeches, a Pair of old Shoes and Stockings, an old Felt Hat, and a coarſe worſted Cap. Whoever will take up the ſaid Runaway, and bring him to his Maſter, near* Williamsburg, *ſhall be handſomely rewarded, beſides what the Law allows, by*

Robert Lorton

STray'd away from the Governor's Paſture about a Fortnight ago, a light bay Horſe, between 13 *and* 14 *Hands high, with a bob Tail, and branded on the near Buttock thus* S S. *Whoever brings the ſaid Horſe to the Printer hereof, ſhall have a Piſtole Reward.*

N. B. *He is ſuppos'd to have gone towards* Clayburn's *Ferry.*

STolen or Stray'd from the Houſe of Mr. John Parker, *in the City of* Williamsburg, *on the* 24*th of* December *laſt, a large bay Mare, paces very well, a Star in her Forehead, a ſwitch Tail, with a roach and hanging Mane: There was alſo loſt with her a hunting Saddle covered with black Leather, with a blew Broad Cloth Houſing fring'd, and a curb Bridle. Whoever brings the ſaid Mare to Mr.* John Parker *in* Williamsburg, *or to Mr.* John Keene, *in* New-Kent *County, ſhall have Five Shillings Reward.*

TO be Sold by Way of Outcry, at the Houſe of Mr. William Rogers, *of* York *Town, deceas'd, on* Tueſday *the* 22*d of this Inſtant; and to continue till all are ſold, all the Houſhold Goods, Cattle, and Horſes; alſo* 6 *very good draught Steers,* 3 *Carts, a Parcel of Wheat, and Salt, a large Parcel of old Iron, a Parcel of Stone and Earthen Ware, a good Worm Still, a very good Horſe Mill to go with one Horſe; alſo a new Sloop, built laſt* March, *with all new Rigging, and very well fitted, with* 2 *very good Boats, and ſeveral other Things. Credit will be given till the* 1*ſt Day of* April *come Twelve Months, giving Bond and Security as uſual.*

STray'd away from the Dwelling Houſe of the Rev. Mr. Patrick Henry, *in* Hanover *County, Two Horſes, viz. one of them is a ſmall bay Horſe, a natural Pacer, with a white Spot in his Forehead, he grunts very much when rode, he was formerly ſhod, and his hind Hoofs are very much worn. The other is a large trotting Sorrel Horſe, branded on the near Buttock* B, *his Forehead and Feet are white. Whoever brings the ſaid Horſes to the aforeſaid Plantation, ſhall have* 30 *Shillings Reward, paid by*

Farquehar Matthewſon.

STray'd away from the Subſcriber of St. Paul's *Pariſh, in* Hanover *County, about the Beginning of laſt* November, *a large young black Horſe, with a ſmall Star in his Forehead, a few white Hairs on one of his hind Feet juſt upon his Hoof, and branded on the near Buttock thus,* ♀ *Whoever will bring the ſaid Horſe to my Houſe in the County aforeſaid, ſhall have Ten Shillings Reward, paid by*

Patrick Henry.

December 14, 1739.

RAN away from Richland Farm, *belonging to* Charles Carter, *Eſq; of* King George *County, on* Thurſday *the* 29*th of* November *laſt, a Convict Servant Man, named* Bartholomew Fryet. *He is a tall thin Man, about* 6 *Feet high, of a white Complexion, with light Hair cloſe cut, has a ſmall Mole on his right Cheek, is about* 22 *Years of Age; he talks much of his ſinging. He had on, when he went way, a brown Cloth Coat, a ſhort yelloviſh double-breaſted Fuſtian Waſtecoat, a Pair of Plad Hoſe, and a Pair of* French *Falls new ſol'd; he alſo carried with him a Cotton Waſtecoat, and Breeches, He went away in Company with a Servant Man, named* John Collins, *belonging to* Thomas Ridge, *of the ſaid County. Whoever will apprehend and bring the ſaid* Bartholomew Fryet, *to my Houſe in* King George *County, ſhall have a Piſtole Reward, beſides what the Law allows, paid by me*

Charles Carter.

December 14, 1739.

STol'n from Daniel Saunderſon, *of* King and Queen *County, on the* 26*th of* November *laſt, a large dark bay Mare, branded on the off Buttock* S S, *with a hanging Mane, a Sprigg Tail, and a white Spot on the Inſide of one of her Fore Legs; alſo a full ſkirted trooping Saddle, cover'd with* Virginia *Leather, an old Leather Houſing, with the Crupper and Stirrup Leathers of the natural Colour; an old curb Bridle much mended in the Head-ſtall, a Braſs* Dutch *Tobacco Box pretty much worn, a dark colour'd Ratteen Great Coat, a Calicoe Purſe in the Shape of a Heart, with* 5 *s. of ſmall Silver in it. And he ſuſpects one* James Butler, *alias* Willis, *a Taylor (as he paſſes for;) he is an* Iriſhman, *of a middle Stature, thin Viſage, fair Complexion, with a a ſhort flat Noſe bent in the middle. He had on a brown Duroy Coat, a dark colour'd Drugget Waſtecoat, and a white* Virginia *Cloth Ditto, a Pair of dark colour'd Drugget Breeches, a Pair of pale blew Hoſe, and a Pair of plain Shoes ty'd with Strings, a Worſted Cap, a very good Hat, and a Handkerchief of a reddiſh Colour, and ſpotted: He alſo had two Linen Wallets, one of them full. Whoever will apprehend the ſaid* James Butler, *alias* Willis, *ſo that he be brought to Juſtice, ſhall be handſomely rewarded, beſides what the Law allows, by*

Daniel Saunderſon.

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